

IN THE
INDIANA SUPREME COURT

IN THE MATTER OF REQUEST FOR APPROVAL)
OF LOCAL RULES FOR COURTS OF RECORD) CASE NO:
IN NEWTON COUNTY)

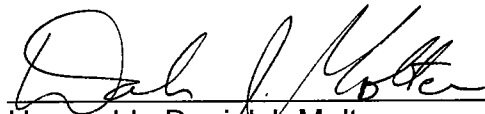
REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF LOCAL RULE
RE-ADOPTING CURRENT CASELOAD
ALLOCATION RULE

The judges of the courts of Newton County have met and reviewed the 2007 weighted caseload statistics of the courts of record, which review reveals that the difference in utilization between any two courts of record does not exceed .40 based on the 2007 Weighted Caseload Report.

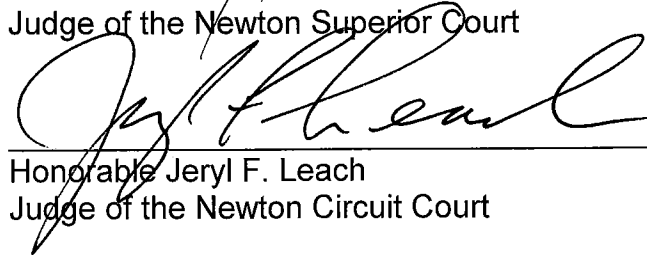
Accordingly, the judges of the courts of record have decided to re-adopt their local rule pertaining to caseload allocation as required by Administrative Rule 1, which local rule had previously been published for public comment as required by Trial Rule 81 and which has been approved by the Supreme Court and request the Supreme Court to approve the re-adoption of the local caseload allocation rule.

Submitted this 5th day of May, 2008.

For the Courts or Record of Newton County



Honorable Daniel J. Molter
Judge of the Newton Superior Court



Honorable Jeryl F. Leach
Judge of the Newton Circuit Court